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In re U.S. Patent Application

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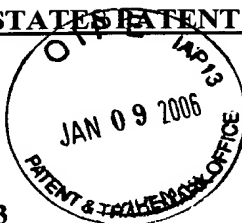
Application Number: 09/935,843

Filed: August 24, 2001

For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR PROVIDING  
MAINTENANCE & MANAGEMENT SERVICES FOR  
LONG-TERM CAPITAL EQUIPMENT OR  
FIXTURES BY PROVIDING A PERFORMANCE  
WARRANTY (AS AMENDED)

Attorney Docket No. TREM.0001

Honorable Assistant Commissioner  
for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231



Art Unit 3629

Special Program  
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Fisher, Michael J

**COVER LETTER**

Sir:

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Total Claims	16	16	XXX (Over 20)	x \$50	0
Independent Claims	3	3	XXX (Over 3)	x \$200	0
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S)				+ \$360	0
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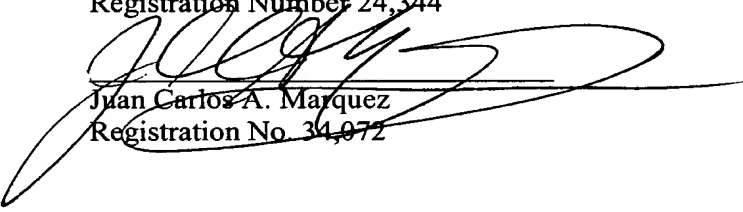
[ x ] Response to Office Action  
(with Claim Amendments)  
[ ] Substitute Specification  
[ ] Preliminary Amendment  
[ ] Information Disclosure Statement

[ ] Petition for Extension of Time  
[ ] Terminal Disclaimer  
[ ] Letter to Draftsperson w/ \_\_ sheets of  
replacement drawings  
[ ] Other \_\_\_\_\_

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**RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

Sir:

This is in response to the office action dated October 7, 2005, in the above identified application, the period for response is set to expire on January 7, 2006. Please amend the above-referenced application as follows: